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Leave Atlanta	5.00 A. M.
Arrive at Augusta	5.45 P. M.
Arrive at Atlanta	6.30 P. M.

No trains on Sunday.

NIGHT PASSENGER TRAIN.

Leave Augusta	8.45 P. M.
Leave Atlanta	5.40 P. M.
Arrive at Augusta	5.30 A. M.
Arrive at Atlanta	7.40 A. M.

Passengers for Milledgeville, Washington and Athens, Ga., must take Day Passenger Train from Augusta and Atlanta.

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Georgia Railroad, Augusta, April 9, 1869.

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Leaves Chattanooga	4 40 A M
Arrives at Atlanta	3 35 A M

DAY PASSENGER TRAIN.

Leaves Atlanta	8 15 A M
Arrives at Chattanooga	4 45 P M
Leaves Chattanooga	4 40 A M
Arrives at Atlanta	2 00 P M

DALTON ACCOMMODATION.

Leaves Atlanta	4 15 P M
Arrives at Atlanta	11 00 A M

ATLANTA & WEST POINT RAILROAD—87 miles—Fare, — per mile—JOHN P. KING, President; L. P. GRANT, Superintendent; R. M. FARRAR, Agent at Atlanta:

DAY PASSENGER TRAIN.

Leave Atlanta	7.58 A. M.
Arrive at West Point	12.30 P. M.
Leave West Point	12.50 P. M.
Arrive at Atlanta	5.25 P. M.

NIGHT FREIGHT AND PASSENGER TRAIN.

Leave Atlanta	8.00 P. M.
Arrive at West Point	11.05 P. M.
Leave West Point	3.00 A. M.
Arrive at Atlanta	10.00 A. M.

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DAY PASSENGER TRAIN.

Leave Atlanta	7.55 A M
Arrive at Macon	1.30 P M
Leave Macon	7.45 A M
Arrive at Atlanta	3.00 P M

NIGHT PASSENGER TRAIN.

Leave Atlanta	6.30 P M
Arrive at Macon	2.10 A M
Leave Macon	8.40 P M
Arrive in Atlanta	4.10 A M

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Philadelphia	3.45 "	6 "
Baltimore	3.45 "	6 "
Memphis and Arkansas	3.45 "	6 "
Louisville, Cincinnati, Chicago and Nashville	3.45 "	6 "
W. A. R. R. Way Mail	3.45 "	1 "
Augusta, Ga.	6.30 P. M.	5 P. M. 6 A. M
Charleston	7.45 A. M.	5.30 P. M. 5 P. M.
Ga. R. R. Way Mail, Athens, Ga. and Milledgeville, Ga.	4.30 P. M.	6 A. M.
M. & W. R. R. Way Mail	3.00 P. M.	6.30 A. M.
Macon	4.00 A. M.	6 P. M.
Savannah, S. W. R. R. and Florida	4.00 A. M.	6 P. M.
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Ledrange to Columbus, via Hamilton—Tri-Weekly.

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Cartersville to Marble Works and Hiwassee Weekly—Tuesdays.

EVENING EDITION.

ATLANTA, GEORGIA.....MAY 27.

☞ The New York Sun calls Miss Anna Dickinson a "popular orator." Is he?

☞ The English press and people still continue to pour hot shot into Sumners speech. Whatever its truth, it has certainly stirred up British bile successfully.

☞ Mr. Hale, late Minister to Spain, has a long card in the New York Tribune defending himself from the charge of smuggling. He puts the thing on his Secretary of Legation, who, if his account is true, must be a precious scamp.

☞ The Presbyterian General Assemblies North have discussed divorces and infanticide, and taken steps to open up ecclesiastical intercourse with the Southern Assembly. The evangelization of the freedmen is a subject that is engrossing the Assemblies North and South.

☞ In the Tribune of the 24th we find hidden away in a remote out-of-the-way corner Belcher's retraction of Southern murders, etc. After a faithful search, we are able to find no word of comment, no acknowledgment of correction of a very bad matter, no little scintillation of generous editorial, taking aack the injurious deductions sequent upon these identical falsified premises.

☞ The 28th of May is the anniversary of the birthday of Tom More, the Irish Poet. The deep obligations that the amatory youngsters of every generation are under to him for furnishing them material for love letters, albums, and moon-light sparking, should be certainly recognized.

Chicago proposes to honor the event.

WASHINGTON, May 16.—From a private letter, dated as above, we take the following extract:

The recommendation of a Democrat is now, it seems, worse than useless, especially in the postal department. The President is, I fear, under the control of the worst of his party.

Georgia News.

THE report of the murder of Samuel Hardeman of Oglethorpe county is untrue. So says the Athens Watchman.

BANKS county is to have a big railroad meeting at Homer the 1st Monday in June.

WE are informed that in Walton county, where heavy expenditures have been made for commercial manures, the stand of cotton is very poor. This is, certainly, a very great misfortune, as nothing but a full crop can reimburse such expenditures.—*Athens Watchman.*

JOE ADKINS was killed, not because he was a radical, but because he had insulted a respectable young lady, by making the most base and infamous proposals to her. (The original letter containing these vile propositions will soon be given to the public.) The same fate would have befell any person in the city of Boston under the same circumstances; and every right-minded father and brother would have pronounced it right.—*Warrenton Clipper.*

Two more of the Ogeeche criminals were convicted in Savannah yesterday of robbery by intimidation—Dandy McNeal and James Bowling.

THE Brunswick and Albany Railroad is now under control of the friends of Brunswick, and an immediate completion of the road is expected.

W. H. RAINEY is collector at Brunswick.

THE Savannah Republican and Rome Courier concur with the Macon Telegraph in postponing the 8th Georgia re-union for the present.

A revival has just finished at Hawkinsville—six new members.

ASHLEY ODOM shot himself accidentally in Abbeville, Wilcox county, on the 16th. Also, Dr. McCall shot John Graham.

CROPS IN PULASKI.—Corn is backward in this county, and cotton continues to die. Crop prospects remain gloomy.—*Hawkinsville Despatch.*

THE Savannah News gives an account of a Mr. Lindsay being stabbed dangerously by a drunken man whose name he does not give. Lindsay was formerly of Augusta.

WE regret to learn that Col. J. A. Stewart had his arm broken yesterday morning, by a fall from some elevation in his mill.—*Rome Courier.*

WHEAT.—The last two weeks of dry weather has greatly improved the prospects of a good wheat crop, but unfortunately the rice birds are doing serious damage to some fields.—*Ibid.*

A GOOD PAPER.—As many of our readers should take a paper from the Capital of their State, we would advise them to give THE CONSTITUTION a trial. We think it one of the ablest edited papers in the South. Daily $10 weekly $3 per year.—*Cartersville Express.*

VARIETY EXHIBITION.—There will be a Variety Exhibition given at the Exchange Hotel to-night, consisting of Singing, Dancing, Plate Spinning, Gymnastic Feats, Farces, etc. By Mr. and Mrs. Hendricks. Doors open at 7 o'clock, commence at 8. Admission. 25 cents.

May 19, 1869.

Last week we charged one dollar to insert the above advertisement one time.—This week we insert it *gratis*, with a little addition, for which we also make no charge, and that is the aforesaid Hendricks got two hundred handbills printed at this office, for which he refused to pay—even at his own price; whereupon an attachment was levied upon his property, which proved to be an old trunk and a dirty blanket. He left us with a threat of bayonets and publication of ourself and paper throughout the North. We notify our brethren of the press everywhere if he gets them to advertise us, to make him pay for such advertisement *in advance*.—*Ibid.*

CROPS.—Cotton is looking very badly, throughout this section, owing to the cool weather, which has killed it out terribly. Wheat is looking well, and if no disaster overtakes it, a fair crop will be realized. Corn is small and backward, not sufficient advanced to tell much about. Clover and the grasses are doing very well—some are now mowing. Fruit crop scanty.—*Ibid.*

The Express says that the most of the stockholders of the Cartersville and Van Wert Railroad have paid up. The engineer is making the report of the suveys now.

THE ST. THOMAS TREATY.—LONDON, May 22.—The rejection of a treaty for the sale of St. Thomas by the United States Senate causes much irritation at Copenhagen.

☞ A. T. Stewart's income last year was only $8,500 a day. It is said he managed to live within it.

VIRGINIA CORRESPONDENCE.

A Piquant Letter—Virginia Women—Decoration of Graves—Calico and Curls—The Political Situation — Sharp Juggling — The University of Virginia — College Politics—The Crops.

Special Correspondence of The Constitution.]

UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA, May 22.

Virginia women are glorious creatures—buxom, blushing, beautiful. There is a delightful vigor in their action, a luscious fulness in their forms, and a rosy glory in their complexions that we find nowhere else. They are all healthy and glowing—all frank and merry; as plump as partridges, and as pretty as Peri's. Could any man have witnessed the long procession that filed through the University grounds on yesterday afternoon, and then fail to endorse the sentiment recorded above, he should be unanimously voted an ass.

The object of the procession alluded to, was the decoration of the soldiers' graves, and the destination of the procession was the soldiers' cemetery. We followed them (how could we help it,) up and down hill, till we stood among the graves of our hero dead. There was no lugubrious gloominess about the cemetery, but, on the contrary, everybody was cheerful and happy, as this sincere tribute was paid to the memory of those immortal men who are buried in light and glory. Ere long every little mound had received its floral crown, and then a very squeaking-voiced man arose to address the crowd upon the "sad and solemn occasion which had called them together"; just, then, by a most lucky dispensation of Providence, it began to rain. Squeaky had to suspend—the ladies became "frightened," you know—umbrellas were sought for and found—cloaks were jerked on, dresses looped up, ankles began to flash delightfully, and the whole thing grew exciting. Your correspondent having procured an umbrella, made advances to a delicious little bundle of curls, cloaks, and calico, that stood close by trembling prettily. The arrangement was consummated—curls cuddled up affectionately under our arm, and—this is the way they dressed the soldiers' graves at the University of Virginia.

The political world is becoming lively, by reason of the election on the 6th of July. The Democrats have at length concluded (despite the letters of Harvie and others,) to concentrate their strength on Walker, and will vote for the Constitution expurgated of the test-oath and disfranchisement clause. The "Old Dominion" truly has to make a Hobson's choice. General Lee has spoken (in private) in terms of strong endorsement of Walker. There are very few Democrats who will not vigorously support Walker against Wells—the Joe Brown of Virginia. Many prominent Radicals have declared in his favor, and his election is very probable. Wells, poor dog, is squirming in an agony of fear; Grat insists on the expurgation of the test-oath and disfranchisement clauses, and his carpet bag constituency will not submit to the proposed expurgation. Sharpe, of Washington, has helped him out of this dilemma by the following scheme. He (Wells) was to remain in the position taken in the Gorland letter—viz: acquiescence to the objections of Grant, and the party was to be instructed through the Leagues and by private circulars to vote in conflict with these objections. By this characteristic manœvre the rebellious Humphreys was hushed, and there is harmony in their camp again.

The press is fighting actively for Walker; scathing leaders against Wells and the unamended Constitution seem to be the leading features of the campaign. Very few attempts are made to eulogise our candidate, and most probably this is the wisest course; for Walker is not a political paragon, nor is the Constitution a model document, even when the two worst objectionable clauses are stricken out.

The leading politicians are waking to the crises, buckling on their harness and preparing to strike for the "Old Dominion." Leeks, Stewart, Johnston, McKenzie, Wingfield and a host of others are battling fiercely, while Walker himself is to take the stump in a day or two, with appointments already made to the 28th of June. Let us hope for the best and remember that God protects the right.

The University is doing bravely. The Faculty and Board of Visitors are making improvements every day. Ex-Governor Lowe of Maryland, will deliver the Oration in place of Mr. O'Connor, who you will remember resigned some time since.

The Rev. Mr. Munsay will deliver an address to the Christian Association at the coming celebration. This address will probably be the most attractive feature of the final. As an orator, Mr. Munsay is almost unequalled. The elections in College have just taken place, resulting as follows: Medalist, R. F. Smith, of Ga., vs. R. Morgan, Jr., of Ga.; Orator, W. Marshall, of Miss., vs. H. W. Grady, of Ga.

By the way, this system of College politics is a hard nut to crack. Boys, like apes, are imitative in their actions; hence you will find in every canvass within our College walls the same electioneering trickery, the same party combinations, and the same stump speaking which characterize the campaigns of older politicians. We have our caucuses—secret and open; we have our party issues and every candidate must define his platform; and we have all the bluffings and villanies and chicanery that you will find in the outer world. And in fact, so strongly are we tinctured with the mad spirit of the age, that our elections are getting such affairs of importance, that an explosion is soon inevitable. And none of us would be surprised at the institution of a College "Imperialist," which should propose to give to the Faculty Kingly prerogatives in this department, and to utterly abolish our present republican form of College Government. KING.

The wheat is looking very well; in certain portions of the State better than for ten years before. The fruit crop in and around Suffolk county was severely injured by the late frosts. The complaints of the ravages of the fly on the tobacco plant are increasing as the planting season comes on, and many who contemplated raising tobacco will, in consequence of these complaints, plant corn instead. K.

THE DUNKARDS—THEIR CUSTOMS—KISSING ON A GENERAL SCALE.—It is equally impossible to describe the great multitude and variety of the kisses of charity which take place on the occasion, for with the meeting-kisses, the parting kisses, and the kisses that transpire during the various religious services, it is hardly extravagant to say that the woods and fields are vocal with the notes of osculation—some so faint as hardly to be perceived, some a little more expressive, and some demonstrative and prolonged. This ceremony is strictly confined to the sexes to which the participants belong, men kissing men and women kissing women.—*Richmond Dispatch.*

DANA ON SEWARD—RAD VS. RAD.—Mr. Seward told us in the beginning of the rebellion that nobody was hurt and it would all blow over in a fortnight. He strutted in the impotent conceit of his own greatness and swelled as a prophet, all the while blind to the great cloud of war and death which was already darkening the horizon.

A POLITICAL HAPPY FAMILY—DANA AND BRICK POMEROY TICKLING EACH OTHER.—The Democrat is really an evening Sun, except in its "red hot" politics.—*The Sun.*

☞ Mr. Johnson asks: "Whose ass have I taken?" No prominent member of the Radical party is missing that we know of. *Philadelphia Age.*

BY TELEGRAPH.

ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCHES

WASHINGTON.

Sixty Millions Gold to be Sold—Sinking Fund—Assessors Appointed.

WASHINGTON, May 27.—It is reliably stated that Boutwell, after hearing Opdyke, determines to persist in selling two millions gold and buying a million of bonds weekly until all the bonds are placed in the sinking fund shall reach twenty-six million. This policy involves the sale of nearly sixty millions in gold.

The President appointed John Manshaw, Inspector at Stanton, Third District and Fernold, Assessor of the Fifth District, Virginia.

Telegraphic Markets.

NEW YORK, May 27, 1869.—Flour unchanged. Wheat one cent lower. Corn heavy. Pork heavy at 31 12½a31 25. Lard quiet. Cotton steady at 28¾a28¾. Turpentine drooping 46½. Rosin dull; strained common 2 42½a2 45. Freights firm.

Stocks strong—unsettled. Money steady at 6a7. 1862s 21⅛. Virginia ex-coupons, 58; new 62. North Carolinas, old, 57; new, 55¼. Louisiana, old, 72½. Levees, 68. Gold 1 40. Sterling 9¼.

LONDON, May 27—Noon.—Consols 93¾. Bonds 79⅜. Sugar quiet both on spot and afloat.

Afternoon.—Consuls 93⅞. Bonds quiet at 79¼.

LIVERPOOL, May 27.—noon—Cotton firm; middlings 11⅛; Orleans 11½; sales 10,000 bales. Flour 22s. 6d.

Afternoon.—Cotton firmer; Uplands 11¼; Orleans 11½; sales now estimated at 15,000 bales. Lard 68s. 6d.

HAVRE, May 27.—Cotton opened quiet, both on spot and afloat.

City and Suburban Affairs.

EXPLOSION OF A SHELL AT SCOFIELD'S MILL.—A twelve pound shell exploded at Scofield's Rolling Mill this morning. A man named McGill, a puddler, was trying to break the shell to get the powder out. He got a colored man, Milton Muckle, to hold the shell in his hands, while he struck it with a hammer. The result was an explosion! The colored man's arms were blown clear off, and a piece of shell lodged in his abdomen. The arms were mutilated to the elbow. It is thought that his injuries will prove fatal. McGill was injured badly.—His right side was mangled, and other injury was done to another member of his body, serious but not fatal. Another colored man, Fuller, lost his left eye. Geo. Alexander, a white man, had his right hand broken, and a piece of shell lodged in his breast. His injuries are not dangerous, but it will probably be long before his hand can be of use. Drs. Crawford, Graham and McFaul are in attendance. Two small holes were blown through the roof.

The shell came in among scrap iron. The proprietors have given orders time and again not to have loaded shells about the premises, and if any come in to bury them immediately. A very large number have thus been disposed of. McGill was an old hand and knew better, and his conduct was in violation of orders and grossly careless.

An Awkward Predicament.

Out in Missouri lives a Mrs. Heupdale, who has or had a daughter named Laura, who loved a man named Jack. This man Jack she didn't like, but she was informed by a neighbor that Jack and Laura had arranged a plan of elopement.

Her mind was quickly made up. She announced to Laura the next morning that she was going to Belleville on a visit to be gone three days, and that she must be a good girl and not tear the house down when she was gone.

That night Jack knew of it, and as he read the nice little note that bade him come over and stay until mother comes home, and what a splendid time we will have," he smiled, knocked the ashes off his cigar, and resolved of course he would.

Jack went over, but there is no earthly use in our attempting to describe the delectable things he enjoyed; it was a sugar season at that plantation, sure.

Just before dusk, while Jack was running over full of the occasion, in rushes Laura's waiting woman with,

"Lor bress me, chil'n, of yer ain't missis at de gate."

"My God, Dinah, what shall we do with Jack?"

"Pop him in de closet, Miss Laura," and Jack was popped in the closet in a twinkling.

In stalked the old lady, who shaply scrutinizing the disconcerted and blushing countenance of Laura, felt sure that Jack had been there.

"Come here, Laura. Now you can't deceive me. That abominable Plaine has been here, and you and he have fixed upon a runaway match, to come off to-night; I know you see."

Laura was silent, and the old lady continued.

"But you'll find that your mother is no fool, and too sharp for you, my lady. Sooner than you should marry that miserable Jack Plaine, I'd see you laid in your grave. He is not going to squander my money, I assure you."

The old lady rose, and going to a clothes press, returned with several comforters and a pillow.

Then walking up to the closet where Jack was concealed, threw them in and said to Laura.

"Now march in here Miss, step along. I'll look out that you don't see that low born mechanic this night."

Laura protested that she didn't want to, declaring that her mother might be sorry for it some day.

But, without paying any attention her mother gave her a push, shut the door, and locked it, put the key in her pocket and went to bed.

Early in the morning the old lady arose, and without waiting to dress took the key from her pocket, and opened the closet door to bid Laura come forth, gazed widly for an instant, and uttered a most piercing scream.

Recovering very rapidly, she started away from the door and called faintly to Laura:

"Laura, dear, go into the kitchen and see about breakfast."

Then presently:

"Jack, I say Jack."

Jack came forth with a son-in-law looking air, and answered:

"Well, madam, what is it?"

"Do you know anything about a farm?" said she.

"Nothing to brag of, ma'am," said Jack, humbly.

"Well, at any rate, Jack, I think that after breakfast you and Laura may as well go down to the city and get married, for I'm tired of watching you, that's a fact."

☞ A young lady in Jefferson, Ohio, mistook a bottle of violet ink for perfumery, in the darkness the other evening, and put some upon her handkerchief, which she used to wipe her face, and, hastening to church immediately after, she created an immense sensation.

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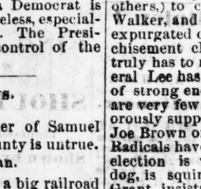

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Produce!

In an editorial yesterday we urged upon our people the need of WORK, as the instrumentality of our Southern redemption.

The query arises, to what shall that work be devoted? In what channel shall it run? What special direction shall we give to it? How shall we work to benefit the country most? for of course what ever will advance the general prosperity, must further private interest.

The great object of labor with us must be to—PRODUCE.

The most important of social problems lies in the philosophy of this injunction.

Hitherto the South has been satisfied to produce a few leading staples, such as cotton, rice, sugar and tobacco, but very little else. The result has been our absolute dependence upon the outer world for everything else. We have not even attended to the sale of our productions, but in tariffs and commissions and premiums we have paid out millions of money, that, kept in our midst, and expended upon our own section, would have benefitted us unspeakably. Some of the gravest questions of political economy are involved in this matter. We cannot theorize, we can only state a few facts.

We must become Producers in the fullest sense of the word. We must produce, not one thing, not a few things, not many things, but everything, in our grasp. This policy is necessary to independence and prosperity. The fatal policy of fostering one matter to the exclusion of others is exemplified in the bitter experience of the last three years upon cotton. With mad greed our planters have neglected all things to raise cotton. Their fantastic financiering has nearly broken them. Planting all cotton, and no grain, they become dependent upon the foreign market for bread and meat. That market by withholding can exact its own price. Thus even with a handsome yield of cotton, it may all be absorbed in the purchase of necessaries. The destruction of independence is complete. They stand at the mercy of the foreign provision dealer, who is a Shylock inevitably. But let the planter first put in grain that under all contingencies will bread him and his labor, let him sow corn, wheat, oats, sorghum, peas, etc., and then, if he has any space left, or labor needing work, go at cotton. Whatever be the issue of the last, whether a failure or a success, he is safe. If he fails in his grain, his cotton can still obtain him provision. If he plants all cotton, and fails, he must go in debt to live. If he succeeds in both, his cotton is a net gain, and he is practically richer, for he has made so much above subsistence.

To be independent above every contingency, therefore we must produce everything producible. Never before did a country more thoroughly possess within itself every element of life.

We must and can produce the cotton that makes our shirts, and we must manufacture it ourselves. We must raise the sheep that will give us woollen garments for winter. We must raise everything to eat, and pay no tribute abroad on the substantials to keep up breath. We must produce our own ships, and carry our surplus products abroad ourselves, get in our own hands the gold these things bring in the markets of the world, and keep that gold at home to enable us to produce still more. We must work out our coal and gold and copper and other minerals. We must put our water courses to work to produce the varied articles of human use. That man who starts the making of a single article of usefulness is a benefactor of his section.

Produce! Produce! Produce! must be the unanimous resolution of our people. It will help to disenthrall us from commercial vassalage. It will keep in our midst the money our people make. It will cause the development of the land, and the utilization and adornment of the whole country. It will give us prestige. It will make us a sustaining, regulated, influential power. It will do more to restore our section to its old status than any political movement we can make.

It will take the paralyzed body of Southern statesmanship and put it upon its feet, a breathing giant, radiant with life, teeming with vitality, and strong in virtue and capacity.

THE COAL STRIKE.—The late immense coal strike in Pennsylvania, seems to have been a movement of the coal proprietors to advance coal. It was a trick of trade, and has failed. The injury it has done cannot be calculated. The deluded miners have been the sole suffers.

IRELAND.—The disestablishment of the Irish Church does not seem to work as harmoniously in quelling disorders in Ireland and putting down dissatisfaction as the Gladstone party thought. We look for Disraeli to wake them up about it yet.

☞ A. T. Stewart has several partners, but none of them can withdraw from the firm except by estimating their share of the goods at what they cost. One man undertook to leave and found he was worth nothing.

N. O. CORRESPONDENCE.

Homicides—Business on the Sabbath—Keno—Grain, Cotton, and Molasses—Rev. B. M. Palmer—Bradfield's Female Regulator—The Convention—Georgia Delegation—Organization—Committees—Excursion—Gen. Hardee, etc.

Special Correspondence of The Constitution.]

NEW ORLEANS, May 24th, 1869.

We reached the Crescent city yesterday at half-past twelve, and took up quarters at the St. Charles Hotel. Sunday here is not generally observed as a day of rest. There were but only three homicides committed yesterday. Stores were opened and wares displayed everywhere.

We notice that one man here is engaged extensively in business, having signs displayed in all parts of the city. There are five of his signs in close proximity to the St. Charles. We allude to the celebrated Mr. "Keno" Yesterday for the first time his establishments were closed on Sunday. New Orleans is a magnificent city. She is destined from her geographical position to be the Metropolis of the Mississippi valley, and with the improvement of the river, and direct trade with Europe, to count her population by hundreds of thousands The grain trade is hers. She is fast gaining an ascendancy in the cotton trade, and when immigration is secured, her fertile lands reclaimed and her sugar plantations again worked, she will be the great sugar and molasses mart of the world, as Atlanta is disputing the laurels of Lynchburg and Louisville for the title of *the* tobacco market, and will carry them off. Much of this article will be exported to Europe *via* New Orleans. New Orleans and Atlanta are united by commercial ties. In exchange for her sugar and molasses, we will give her our tobacco and cotton. Nothing will promote better the proper *entente cordiale* between the two cities than advertising in the papers of these cities.

Last night we had the pleasure of hearing an able sermon delivered by Rev. B. M. Palmer, at the Presbyterian Church. He has lost none of his eloquence and power with the lapse of years, but if possible has improved.

Dr. Bradfield is meeting with unprecedented success in the sale of his "Regulator," and leaves for Red River with a large supply in the morning. It is understood that he visits Mexico and Cuba with it before he returns home. Capt. G. J. Forecare is in the city as ruddy as ever. W.

NEW ORLEANS, May 25, 1865.

The Convention met at the Mechanic's Institute, celebrated as the spot where the so-called riots of 1866 took place, at 12 M. yesterday, about eighteen States being represented. The following delegates were from Georgia: Atlanta, S. R. McCamy, E. L. Jones, A. J. McBride, J. Bradfield, W. G. Whidby; Augusta, E. P. Clayton, C. F. McCay, W. R. McCay, J. R. Evans, T. P. Branch; Albany, Col. A. B. Montgomery; Brunswick, Hon. James Houston; Savannah, Gen. A. R. Lawton, Col. E. C. Anderson, J. Cunningham, F. W. Sims; Forsyth, J. G. Watson; Dalton, Col. J. B. Griffin; Merriwether county, J. W. Park, G. L. Peavey; Milledgeville, W. G. McAdor. Gen. A. R. Lawton was the Chairman of the delegation, and W. G. Whidby, Secretary.

Gen. William Vandever, of Iowa, was made temporary Chairman of the Convention, and made a beautiful address on taking his seat.

Col. A. B. Montgomery was appointed a member of the Committee on Credentials, and Col. J. B. Griffin on Permanent Organization.

In the Committee the name of Gen. A. R. Lawton was proposed by Col. Griffin for permanent President, and was defeated on the ninth ballot by only one vote Hon. Chauncey J. Filley, of Missouri, was elected over him. Mr. Filley made a long and entertaining address on being escorted to his seat by Gen. Hardee.

The Committee on permanent organization reported the names of the following officers. We give the names of those only of immediate interest to our readers:

Secretary, A. C. Waugh, of Louisiana; Assistant Secretaries, Col. A. J. McBride, of Georgia and T. C. DeLeon, of Alabama. Vice Presidents, Col. Samuel R. McCamy, of Georgia; W. M. Byrd, of Alabama; Milton Brown, of Tennessee.

The folloging are the Committees appointed:

Removing obstructions in the Mississippi river and its tributaries—Thomas P. Branch, of Georgia; Albert Stein, of Alabama; G. W. Bowyer, of Tennessee; J. Hankle, of South Carolina.

Repairing and extending levees—C. F. McCay, of Georgia; Col. D. H. Todd, of Alabama; W. H. S. Hill, of Tennessee; J. Hankle, of South Carolina.

Immigration—F. W. Sims, Georgia; B. M. Woolsey, Alabama; R. Henderson, Tennessee; Capt. W. H. Walter, South Carolina.

Pacific Railroad—Hon. James Houston, Georgia; Major R. M. Robertson, Alabama; R. E Jackson, Tennessee; F. J. Pelson, South Carolina.

Foreign Commerce and Postal Service—E. L. Jones, Georgia; Col. J. Muse, Alabama; Miles Owen, Tennessee; Zimmerman Davis, South Carolina.

Western Trade—W. G. Whidby, Georgia; A. Proskeur, Alabama; R. J. Morgan, Tennessee; Dr. E H. Lannish, South Carolina.

The Convention leave in a few minutes (6 A. M.) on an excursion to the mouth of the river.

You will perceive that Atlanta is all right so far as her delegation is concerned. Col. McCamy, by invitation of the Street Committee, views the streets to-morrow. He is the working man, and Col. McBride the orator, of our delegation.

When the name of Gen. W. J. Hardee was announced as Chairman of the Alabama delegation, it was received with hearty cheers.

Gen. Lawton is receiving marked attention from prominent citizens here.

The Convention re-assembles in the morning. W.

LATE NEWS.—*Our Relations with England.*—The cable dispatches, giving the views of the London press on the expected arrival of Minister Motley, were the subject of comment to-day at the State Department, and the belief expressed by the London Times this morning, that Motley goes to England without instructions to make fresh negotiations for the settlement of the Alabama claims was fully confirmed. Secretary Fish says that the details of these instructions cannot, of course, be made public, but their tenor can be stated. It can therefore be positively stated that Motley's instructions do not contemplate any immidiate action in the Alabama question, and that they are more general than specific in their character. They contain the usual diplomatic parlance, requiring Mr. Motley to state to her majesty's Government, when he is presented, that it is the desire of President Grant to adjust all questions of international difference on a basis that will make the friendly relations of the two countries much stronger.

REPUDIATION—ENTERING WEDGE.—BOWLING GREEN, May 24.—A large number of people were in town to-day, and listened to an account of his stewardship from Hon. J S. Golladay, our representative in Congress. He announced himself in favor of repudiation, and fully proved to his attentive hearers that Congress was not a very virtuous body. He expressed the deep mortification he felt when Menard, the negro from Louisiana, claimed his seat in the House of Representatives. Golladay, by his zeal and attention to all the interests of his constituents, is making himself exceedingly popular with this district.—*Cor. Courier-Journal.*

EARTHQUAKE.—A distinct but short and sudden shock of an earthquake was felt in this city last evening, about half past seven o'clock. The writer felt it whilst at the supper table, and thought it was the jar of a cannon that had been fired; but on inquiry was informed that it was the shock of an earthquake and that it had been felt in all portions of the city.—*Macon Telegraph.*

☞ Marsh, the Cincinnati diamond robber has become insane on the subject of religion.

BY TELEGRAPH.

ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCHES.

WASHINGTON.

Hoff's Report—Revenue—The President and Soldiers' Graves—Trustee's of Art Gallery.

WASHINGTON, May 27.—Hoff's report to the 19th, contains nothing important.

Revenue to-day over a million of dollars.

The President participates in the decoration of soldiers graves at Arlington, on Saturday.

The Trustees of the Corcoran Art Gallery met yesterday.

NEW ORLEANS.

Gov. Warmouth's Quarantine—The Opelousas Railroad—Alabama Dleegation—Col. Woodruff—Suggestions by the Commercial Convention—Liberal Appropriations—Southern Pacific Railroad—Arrival of Delegates.

NEW ORLEANS, May 27.—Gov. Warmouth proclaims quarantine of not less than ten days against the following ports: Havana, Matanzas, Trinidad, Santiago, Cuba, Port Royal, Montego Bay, Jamaica, Jacmel, Port au Prince, Stromingo; the islands of St Thomas, Martinique and Gaudaloupe; Campeachy, Yucatan, Belize, Honduras, Vera Cruz, Alvarado, Tampico, Matamoras, Tuspan, Mexoico, San Juan, Nicaraugua, Chagres, Aspinwall, Porto Bello, Central America, Maricabo, Venzuela, Laguayra, Islan l of Trinidad, Rio Janeiro, Para, Cayenne, South America, and Nassau, New Providence.

Charles Morgan, purchaser of the Opelousas Railroad, in a long public communication, announces his readiness to cooperate with the business men of Texas, Louisiana, New Orleans, or any other section of the country interested in extending the Opelousas Railroad from its present terminus to Texas by the most eligible route, and proposes that a new corporation be formed to obtain the remaining franchises of the New Orleans, Opelousas and Great Westean Railroad Company, with a cash capital of four millions, of which he will himself take and pay cash for two millions stock, provided the same amount be raised by other parties interested. He further announces his intention to put the road already completed in perfect repair, if necessary making double track.

The delegation of the State of Alabama in the Commercial Convention adopted a series resolutions expressing a high appreciation of the admirable qualities of the late Col. L. T. Woodruff, President of the Mobile Board of Trade, killed at a recent fire and their regret at his untimely demise.

Upon assembling this morning the Convention took up the report of the Committee on obstructions in the mouth of the Mississippi River without recommending any particular plan of operations, and respectfully commend the attention of the General Government to the suggestions of the New Orleans Chamber of Commerce upon the subject that while acknowledging the liberality of the appropriations for the removal of the obstructions would in view of the large accumulation of the deposit with the past four years, earnestly urge the necessity of still further appropriation for continuing the work, and also recommend that the control and undertaking be confided entirely to United States Engineer Bureau, in whom they express entire confidence. Beport adopted.

The following, which was embodied in both the majority and minority reports of the Pacific Railroad Committee, was adopted:

Resolved, That a main trunk railroad line, from San Diego, California, should be built through to the junction of the rivers Colorado and Gila, along the valley Gila south or the same to El Paso on the Rio Grande, thence to a convenient point near thirty-second parallel west of the Brazos at or near the river in the State of Texas, to which main trunk feeder-roads may be built from St. Louis, Cairo, Memphis, Vicksburg, New Orleans, Galveston on the East, and Guaymas, Mazatlan, and San Francisco on the West, with equal rights of connection for all, which should be known and designated as the Southern Pacific Railroad.

The discussion of the Pacific Railroad question was lengthy and exciting and the longitudinal route from Cairo to Mazalan strongly advocated by Texas, or Texans and Illinoisians.

The Convention remained in session till 3 P. M. and adjourned till to-morrow.

A number of new delegates arrived yesterday and to-day. A few departed this evening.

MOBILE.

Presbyterian General Assembly—Seizure of Jacksonville Church—The Relief Plan—Church Music.

MOBILE, May 27.—The General Assembly adopted a paper urging the Presbytery of Florida to lay before the Central Presbytery of Philadelphia a statement of the facts connected with the seizure of the Jacksonville Church by Northern ministers and ask for redress.

The plan for the relief of families of deceased clergymen was referred to the Committee of Estimation to report at the next Assembly.

The overture on church music was indefinitely postponed.

The revised book of Church Order was sent down to the Presbyteries for criticism, the revision to be completed at the next Assembly.

The Assembly dissolved at 1 o'clock.

RICHMOND,

Negro State Convention—One Hundred Delegates.

RICHMOND, May 27.—A State Convention of colored men, to consider the exclusion of colored men from posts of trust and profit and the jury box, met here to-day. There are one hundred delegates present. All parts of the State is represented. Dr. Thomas Bayne, of Norfolk, was chosen President. The Convention has adjourned.

AUGUSTA.

Cotton Crop—The Weather.

AUGUSTA, May 27.—Accounts from the Cotton crop are very discouraging. The cold nights and unseasonable weather has caused the plant to die in many localities.

For the last few days the weather has been very warm and indicates rain this evening.

SPAIN.

The Cortez—Cuban Rebellion—Home Government.

MADRID, May 27.—Serrano, in addressing the Cortez regarding Cuba, said the rebellion was suppressed, but moral disorder was disappearing slowly. When the normal condition is restored, the home government acting with Cuban deputies will suppress slavery.

NEW YORK.

Plan of Union of the Old and New School Presbytery.

NEW YORK, May 27.—The Committees of the Old and New Schools have reported a plan for union.

CUBA.

Succession—The Governorship of Puerto—Sugar.

HAVANNA, May 27.—Sisca succeeds Setona, for the Governorship of Puerto. Sugar active, at 8¾@8⅞c.

FORTRESS MONROE.

Heavy Gale.

FORTRESS MONROE, May 27.—Northeast gale prevails.

FRANCE.

Election Returns.

PARIS, May 27.—Returns show twenty-seven opposition members elected.

LONDON.

LONDON, May 27.—Peabody goes to New York Saturday.

Marine News.

WILMINGTON, May 27.—Cleared W. P. Clyde for New York.

SAVANNAH, May 27.—Arrived, ship Kelown, from New Orleans. Cleared, Barnes for New York, Atica for Baltimore.

CHARLESTON, May 27.—Arrived, steamer Lloyd from Aspinwall and Havana. Sailed, steamer J. W. Everman for Philadelphia, ship Amelia for Liverpool.

THE IMPERIALIST.—The New York Herald takes the same view of that humbug—The Imperialist—that we have done. It calls it:

A two and catchpenny concern in this city that has an imperial crown surmounting its title heading, as a washtub would a laundry advertisement, indexing its character. A fool's cap would have been a more appropriate emblem. But the fools or lunatics are not all dead yet, or we should not see such vapid caricature upon journalism placed upon the news stands. It is a fit theme for an amusing negro minstrel extravaganza and nothing more.

☞ Those two proud Caucasians down in Georgia, who had forgotten that there has been any war, have just had a wholesome reminder, which may freshen their memories. The President has appointed a *colored Georgian*, Mr. Edward Belcher, assessor of internal revenue.—*Hartford Courant.*

Certainly! You'll let them know there are *niggers* is this world as well as white folks! Don't let 'em forget there has been a war! but keep "freshening their memories with disagreeable pokes in their ribs! It is so Christian like—and such a pleasant way of spending one's time! What right have they to be "proud Caucasians!" They may be thankful they are not New Zealanders, or "relatives of the Grant family."—*New Haven Register.*

☞ Little Frank had been taught that he was made of dust. As he stood at the window he saw an eddy of dust raised by the wind, and exclaimed: "Ma, it looked just now as though there was going to be another little boy made."

☞ Harry Leslie succeeded in riding one hundred miles on a velocipede in ten hours and twelve minutes at the rink in Pittsburg yesterday. Running time, eight hours, twenty-one minutes.

☞ A handsome young woman was found on Broadway the other afternoon in a disgraceful state of intoxication. She had lost her chignon and forgotten her name. A woman quite as young and quite as drunk, if not very handsome, was seen on West Street, Brooklyn.

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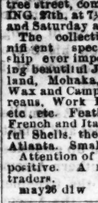

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Leave Lynchburg	9:00 A. M.
Leave Alexandria	5:45 P. M.
Leave Washington	8:30 "
Arrive at New York	6:00 A. M.

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Leave Alexandria	7:30 A. M.
Leave Lynchburg	4:40 P. M.
Leave Bristol	5:37 A. M.
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WM. TITLEBAUM would respectfully inform the citizens of Atlanta and vicinity, that he will make to order and keep constantly on hand, all styles of Hoop Skirts, especially the new fashioned PARISER HOOP of the best material and at prices that will give satisfaction. He also keeps the best selected stock of French, American and German CORSETS ever kept in this market. A full line of Ladies' Ready Made White Goods, Fancy Goods, Notions, Hosiery, Gloves, &c., Also, Millinery Goods. Superintended by Miss CODY. Call and examine.

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Local and Business Notices.

NOTICE.—Col. T. M. Acton, is the duly authorized traveling Agent of THE CONSTITUTION, and we commend him to the attention of our friends wherever he may go in behalf of our interest.

THIS is the last day of Ames' magnificent Circus and Menagerie. may28-d1t

THE MANGUM PROPERTY.—At 4 o'clock, Col. Adair will sell this property, on Mitchell street, divided into 14 residence lots. He has plats.

EXTRAORDINARY bargains in Furniture next week at P. H. SNOOK & CO. may23-d1f

OUR people appreciate the excellent New Orleans Circus and Menagerie. may28-d1t

CLOVER.—If you wish to see a royal treat go to George Johnson's, near the Mineral Springs, and look at his luxuriant patch of clover, grown on a barren hill, right in the heart of the city. His gorilla is a very interesting gentleman.

WE would advise parties in want of Furniture to examine our Stock to arrive the coming week. P. H. SNOOK & CO. may23-d1f

COL. AMES has a really fine Circus and Menagerie. may28-d1t

THE CIRCUS.—The Circus had large audiences, both yesterday afternoon and night. The performances were very creditable. The most interesting thing to us was the way in which that very pretty lion-tamer made those ugly tigers and bears stand around. When it is taken into consideration that a man has been considerably mangled up by one of the animals, the woman's boldness in braving the ferocious beasts is right heroic. We observed one thing, that she never took her eye from their faces, and when she retired she backed out of their cages. The whole philosophy of their control is conveyed in that understood influence of an unterrified human eye over these wild beings.

IF you go to Newnan, Ga., stop with W. M. Reynolds at the McDowell House. may30-d6m

ANOTHER big crowd may be expected at the Circus and Menagerie. may28-d1t

THE SLEEPING CAR COMPANY.—We learn that the "Pullman, Kimball & Ramsey Sleeping Car Company" held its annual meeting of Stockholders in this city yesterday. A dividend of *sixteen per cent.* for the past year was declared, and the following gentlemen were elected Directors for the ensuing year.

GEORGE N. PULLMAN, ALFRED AUSTELL,
JOHN RICE, JOSEPH E. BROWN,
ROBERT H. RAMSAY, C. P. WESCOTT,
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THE GREAT NEW YORK FIRE IN 1835.—We clip from the columns of the Philadelphia Underwriter, an interesting incident in the earlier experiences of the Ætna Insurance Company, of Hartford, Conn., showing the value, as well as the reward which attaches to a faithful fulfillment of obligations, at a time when nerve was requisite, and individual sacrifice probable.

After the great fire of 1835, the "Ætna," of Hartford, now the larges, strongest, and most successful Fire Insurance Company in America, received notice of their losses, and the President called a meeting of the Board of Directors, and in a few words told them they had lost, probably, all their capital. After a few moments' silence, in which the President brought from the fire-proof vault all the stocks and bonds representing their capital, and placed them before them, when one of the Board asked him what he should do. "Do!" said the President, "Go to New York and pay the losses, if it takes every dollar there," pointing to the package, "and my own fortune besides."

The anxious looks gave way to those of settled determination, and the Board unanimously said: "Good! and we will stand by you with all our individual capital."

The President went to New York, adjusted the losses, and in a years' time the company, so bold to act and ready to fulfill all its obligations, had their capital more than returned by premiums, and in a better reputation than any company in the United States.

The above Company is represented in this city by W. P. Patillo.

EVERYTHING in the Furniture line can be had the coming week at our New Store on Decatur street. P. H. SNOOK & CO. may23-d1f

EVERYBODY is going to the Circus and Menagerie this afternoon or to-night. may28-d1t.

TO THE LADIES.—We will sell our stock of Dry Goods at Cost for the next thirty days. P. H. SNOOK & CO., Peachtree Street. may23-d1f

EUGENIE, Amelia and Cadona are accomplished artistes. may28-d1t

CHAPMAN, RUCKER & Co., are Agents for the Macon Manufacturing Company, for the sale of Shirting and Sheetings. A good supply kept on hand at Factory prices. may2-d1m

INVADE the ticket office of the Circus and Menagerie early. may28-d1t

JOSH BILLINGS ON SPRING.—Spring ar the very beautifullest time uv year, ef not more so. Spring ar various, but ef we had nothin' else but spring, it wouldn't be so much so. There ar several kinds uv spring, to-wit: Car springs, they ar vegetable, velocipede springs, they are minerals; those last are sum; but the spring back blank books made by W. R. HANLEITER, Granite Block ar summer. may2-d

DON'T fail to see the truly excellent New Orleans Circus and Menagerie. may28-d1t

HAGAN'S MAGNOLIA BALM.—This article is the True Secret of beauty. It is what Fashionable Ladies, Actresses and Opera Singers use to produce that cultivated, *distingue* appearance so much admired in the Circles of Fashion.

It removes all unsightly Blotches, Redness, Freckles, Tan, Sunburn and effects of Spring Winds, and gives to the Complexion a Blooming Purity of transparent delicacy of power. No Lady who values a fine Complexion can do without the Magnolia Balm. 75 cen's will buy it of any of our respectable dealers.

LYON'S KATHAIRON is the best Hair Dressing may18-d&weo1m.

TOO FAST.—But to return to the Alabama claims question. I must agree with that view attributed to Mr. Fish and others—that the hasty rejection of the Johnson-Clarendon treaty was unfortunate; if only on the ground that in all such matters undue haste is almost always to be deprecated, and by all means to be avoided.—*Cor. Chicago Republican.*

From Every Saturday.

Like A Laverock in the Lift.

I.

It's we two, it's we two, it's we two for aye,
All the world and we two, and Heaven be our stay.
Like a laverock in the lift, sing, O bonny bride!
All the world was Adam once, with Eve by his side.

II.

What's the world, my lass, my love?—what can it do?
I see thine, and thou art mine; life is sweet and now.
If the world have missed the mark, let it stand by
For we two have gotten leave, and once more we'll try.

III.

Like a larverock in the lift, sing, O bonny bride!
It's we two, it's we two, happy side by side.
Take a kiss from me, thy man; now the song begins—
"All is made afresh for us, and the brave heart wins."

IV.

When the darker days come, and no sun will shine,
Thou shalt dry my tears, lass, and I'll dry thine.
It's we two, it's we two, while the world's away,
Sitting by the golden sheaves on our wedding day.

JEAN INGELOW.

MARRIED.

On Thursday, May 26th, by Rev. H. H. Parks, Rev. W. R. KRAMER, of the North Georgia Conference, to Miss JANE E. MOBLEY, daughter of Hon. Samuel Mobley, of Floyd County, Ga.

Baltimore papers please copy.

Special Notices.

☞ STOCK AND FIXTUBES OF A Drug Store for sale. Suitable for a Drug Store or any prescribing Physician, will be sold at New York cost. For further particulars enquire at the Drug Store of Dr.'s Curtiss & Lloyd, Peachtree St., Atlanta, Ga., may25-d3t

☞ TO BUILDERS.—SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, GEORGIA RAILROAD, AUGUSTA, GA., May 19, 1869.—Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Georgia Railroad and Banking Company, in Augusta, until 10th JUNE, proximo, to furnish material and build a ROUND HOUSE and BOILER SHOP in this city. Diameter of Round House, 220 feet, outside; height of walls, 20 feet. Boiler Shop, adjoining, 50x75 feet; walls, 20 feet high. Full information may be obtained and plans and specifications seen at the office of the Master Mechanic. The Company reserves the right to accept any bid or refuse all.

S. K. JOHNSON, Sup't.

may21-d1d

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☞ NOTICE TO SHIPPERS.—WESTERN & ATLANTIC RAILROAD, OFFICE OF MASTER OF TRANSPORTATION, ATLANTA, GA., May 4, 1869. Bills of Lading given for through freight on "special" rates over this road from St. Louis via Memphis and Hickman, to points below Chattanooga, made without this roads consent will not be recognized. E. B. WALKER.

may14-d2w.

☞ MR. W. M. REYNOLDS, PROPRIetor of the McDowell House, at Newnan, Ga., has one of the best Hotels in the State. may20-d6w.

☞ DROMGOOLE & CO.'S LIVER Pills are the best. The surest, are Dromgoole & Co.'s Liver Pills. Bile on the stomach, use Dromgoole & Co.'s Liver Pills. A sure thing, Dromgoole & Co.'s Liver Pills. For sale by

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Latest Market Reports.

ATLANTA, May 27, 1869

COTTON—Market dull at 24½ cents. Receipts none.

Telegraphic Markets.

NEW ORLEANS, May 27.—Cotton in limited demand; middlings 28½; sales 500 bales; receipts 577 bales; exports 168 bales.

Gold 1 38¼. Sterling 51¼. New York sight selling at par. Flour firm; superfine 5 35; double 5 87; treble 6 25. Corn, white 90. Oats scarce 80. Bran 1 30. Hay prime 30 00. Pork nominal, 32 25. Bacon retailing 13½a17½a17¾. Lard tierce, 18½a19; keg 19½a20. Sugar dull, common 9¾; prime 13½a13¾. Molasses fermenting 37½a50. Whisky 87½a95. Coffee fair 15¾; prime 16¾a17¼.

AUGUSTA, May 27.—Cotton market firm. Sales 329 bales. Receipts 30 bales. Middlings 26.

WILMINGTON, May 27—Spirits Turpentine quiet. 42. Rosin steady, 1 80a7 00. Crude Turpentine 1 70a3 00. Tar 2 30. Cotton 26½a26½.

CHARLESTON, May 27.—Cotton nominal; sales 150 bales at 27½; receipts 422 bales. Exports coastwise 162 bales.

SAVANNAH, April 27.—Cotton firm; middlings 27; sales 350 bales; receipts 206 bales.

NEW YORK, May 27.—Cotton firmer; sales 2.500 bales at 28¾. Flour heavy; common to fair extra Southern 6 45a6 90. Wheat and corn heavy. Pork lower, 31 00. Lard steady. Whisky 1 08. Turpentine 46a47. Rosin 2 40a2 48. Freights firmer; cotton, steam. ¼.

Money active; steady at 7. Discounts dull. 7a9 for prime paper. Exchange dull at 9¼. Gold weak at 38½. Stocks depressed. Governments closed strong. Southerns quiet.

LOUISVILLE, May 27.—Pork 31 50a32 00 Shoulders 13¾; clear sides 17¼. Lard, tierce 18½a19.

ST. LOUIS, May 27.—Whisky dull, 1 00. Mess pork 31 50. Shoulders 13¼; clear sides 17¼. Lard quiet at 18.

LIVERPOOL, May 27.—Cotton quiet; Uplands 11½; Orleans 11½; sales 15,000 bales.

LONDON, May 27.—evening.—Consols 93¾. Bonds 79¼. Tallow 42. Sugar on spot 39.

FRANKFORT, May 27.—Bonds 85¾.

BALTIMORE, May 27.—Virginias, old inscribed 50¾ asked; 68s. 55¾ bid; 67s. 55 bid. 52 asked; coupons, new, 62 bid. 62¾ asked. Cotton quiet at 28¼. Flour steady. Wheat dull; good to fair red 1 40a1 60; prime to choice 1 90a1 10. Corn firmer; white 85a86; yellow 88a90. Oats dull at 70a74. Pork quiet at 31 50 to 32 00. Bacon quiet at 14¼a14½; hams 20a21. Lard 19. Whisky 1 10.

CINCINNATI, May 27.—Whisky dull and quiet at 1 05. Pork 31 50. Shoulders 13¼; sides 15½a17, held ¼ higher at close.

MOBILE, May 27.—Cotton dull; sales 800 bales; low middlings 26½a26½; receipts 329 bales; exports yesterday 1,350 bales; to-day 5,784.

Atlanta Prices Current.

WHOLESALE PRICES.

BUTTER—	
Country	30@35
Tennessee	40@45
BACON—	
Clear Sides	18¼@
Clear Ribbed Sides	18@18¼
Plain Hams	18@
Canvassed Hams	21@22
Sugar cured hams (uncanvassed)	20@22
Shoulders	14@14½
BEESWAX—	
Common	25@30
Choice Yellow	30@40
BROOMS—	
Per dozen	3.50@5.00
BUCKETS—	
Per dozen	3 00
COFFEE—	
Common Rio	20@23
Good Rio	23@25
Java	36@44
CANDLES—	
Sperm	40@45
Adamantine	18¼@19
Tallow	12@15
CORN MEAL—	
Per bushel	1 10@1 15
COTTON CARDS—	
Per dozen	7.50@8.50
COTTON GOODS—	
Threads	2 90@3 10
Osnaburgs	20@24
4 4 Sheetings	14½@16
¾ Shirtings	14½
¼ Shirtings	13¼
Drills	16½@
Stripes	18
CIGARS—	
Per thousand	18 00@150 00
DRIED FRUIT—	
Rough Peaches	9@10
Peeled Peaches	16@20
Apples	7@9
DRY-GOODS—	
Pacific prints	13½@14½
Sprague	13½@14½
Allen's	13½@14½
Lancaster	13½@14½
Wamsutta	11a
Wamsutta	10½
Amoskeag	13
FEATHERS—	
Live Geese	70@80
FLOUR—	
Superfine, per sack of 100 lbs	3 75@4 00
Extra do do	4.25@4 50
Extra Family do do	5.50@5 00
Fancy do do	6.50@7.00
GRAIN—	
Corn, white	106a108
" mixed	103@
Barley	2.50@3.00
Rye	1.50
Wheat	1 75@2 50
GUN POWDER—	
Sporting in kegs of 25 lbs	@6.75
Blasting in kegs of 25 lbs	6.25@6 75
HAY—	
Clover per 100 lbs	@2 00
Timothy	@2 00
IRON—	
Swedes	8@9
Horse-shoe	5½
Round and Square	5@8
City Mills Bar	4½@4¾
Pittsburg bar	6
Sheet iron	10@12
Nail Rod	10@14
LARD—	
In Barrels	20½@21
In Kegs and Cans	21@22
LEATHER—	
White oak, sole, Northern per lb	@50
Hemlock, sole good stamp, per lb	31@33
" " damaged "	25@29
French calf skins per dozen	36.00@54.00
American calf skins per dozen	40.00@45.00
Upper leather per dozen	35.00@42.00
Harness leather per lb	40@50
LIQUORS—	
Whisky, rectified proof	1 40@1 75
" Bourbon	1 80@2 00
" Robinson county	2 50@4 00
Cognac brandy	4 00@15 00
St Croix Rum	4 00@10 00
Jamaica "	5 00@10 00
Holland Gin	4 00@6 50
Scotch Ale	@4 00
Guinness' Porter	@4 00
Domestic Ale	3 00
Domestic Porter	3 00
LUMBER—	
1 inch Board—green	per M...$22 50
1¼a1½ inch finishing	" 27 50
Framing, all classes	" 20 00
Flooring, dry-dressed T. & G.	" 32 50
LIME—	
Georgia per 5 bushel barrel	2 50@2.75
Alabama per 5 bushel barrel	@3.00
MOLASSES—	
Cuba per gallon	55@57
New Orleans	85@90
Syrup per gallon	90@1.25
Baltimore Golden	1 10@1 15
Sorghum	50@55
NAILS—	
4s to 60s	6.00@6.50
3s common	@7.50
3s fine	@9 25
OILS—	
Sperm per gallon	2.50@3 00
Whale "	1.50@2 00
Lard "	1.75@2.00
Tanners' "	1.15@1.50
Lubricating "	1.00@1.50
Linseed "	1.30@1.35
Kerosene "	48@55
Petro "	37@40
PEAS—	
Cow	1 05@1 10
POTATOES—	
Sweet—per bu	1 00@1 50
Irish—Northern	4@6 25
SALT—	
Virginia	@2.25
Liverpool	@2 75
SOAP—	
Bar	8@15
STARCH—	
Per lb	10@12
SUGAR—	
Crushed and Granulated per lb	17@18
Clarified per lb	@18
New Orleans	14@17
Demerara	@
TOBACCO—	
Low Grades	50@60
Medium	55@65
Good medium	70@75
Fine	90@1 00
Choice	1.10@1.55

Financial.

EXCHANGE ON NEW YORK.—Buying at ¼ off selling at par.

GOLD.—Buying at 33 cents; selling at 42 cents.

SILVER.—Buying at 38 cents; selling at 37 cents.

GOLD BULLION.—Buying at $1.36 per pennyweight.

GOLD DUST.—Buying at $1.15@1.30 per penny weight.

Uncurrent Moneys and Securities.

GEORGIA BANK NOTES.

Ga. R. R. & B. Co.	a98	Merch'ts & Plant.	10a..
C. R. & B. Co.	98a..	Farmers & Mechan	
Marine Bank Ga.	98a..	Bank of Commerce	
Bank Middle Ga.	98a..	Bank of Columbus.	
Bank of Athens	a50	Manufact. Macon	a..
Bank of Fulton	a40	Union Bank	5a..
Bank of Savannah	a	Mechanics	1a..
Bank of Augusta	a	Planters' Bank	
City B'k Augusta	a5	Augusta Sav. B'k	14a..
Bank State Ga.	20	Northwestern R'r.	1a..
Bank Empire State	a18	Timber Cutters B'k	1a..

ALABAMA BANK NOTES.

Bank of Mobile	95	Bank of Montgomery	8
Bank of Selma		Eastern Bank	54
Central Bank	2	Northern Bank	25
Commercial Bank	5	Southern Bank	95

SOUTH CAROLINA BANK NOTES.

Bank of So. Ca.	a8..	B'k State S. C. old	a40
Union Bank	a95	Bk State S. C. new	1a
Peoples' Bank	a70	Exchange Bank	a7
Bank of Newberry	a70	So. W. R R new	a40
Bank Charleston	a70	So W R R new	a40
Planters & Mech.	a70	State Bank	a2
B'k of Hamburg	a12	Merchants' Bank	a7
Bank of Camden	a70	City Chas'n notes	90a
Bank of Chester	a8	Planters', Fairfield	ad
B'k of Georgetown	a10	Car. Treas. notes	75

BONDS AND STOCKS.

Pensacola and Georgia Railroad Bonds	30@ 30
Atlantic and Gulf Railroad Bonds	70@ 77
M. & W. Pt. Bonds, 1st mortgage	85@ 90
M. & W. Pt. Bonds, income	60@ 65
M. & W. Pt. Bonds, Stock	45@50
Macon & Western Railroad Stock	100@105
Macon & Augusta, endorsed	90@ 93
Macon & Augusta, not endorsed	75@ 80
Macon & Augusta, Stock	30@ 37
Muscogee Railroad Bonds	90@ 95
Muscogee Railroad Stock	90@ 95
Columbia, S. C. Bonds	65@ 70
Georgia 6 per cent	78@ 81
Georgia 7 per cent	93@ 96
Georgia Coupons	85@ 90
North Carolina 6 per cent	60@ 63
North Carolina Coupons	60@ 65
Tennessee 6 per cent	63@ 67
Tennessee Coupons	6@ 7
South Carolina Bonds, old	70@ 75
South Carolina Bonds, new	70@ 72
S. C. Railroad Bonds, 6 per cent	60@ 70
S. C. Railroad Bonds, 7 per cent	73@ 75
Memphis & Charleston Railroad Bonds	87@ 90
Georgia Railroad Bonds	100@104
Georgia Railroad Stock	97@107
Central Railroad Bonds	100@104
Central Railroad Stock	125@130
South Western Railroad Bonds	98@100
Southwestern Railroad Stock	100@104
Atlanta & LaGrange Railroad Stock	95@100
Augusta Bonds	80@ 85
Atlanta Bonds, 8 per cent	85@ 90
Macon Bonds	75@ 77
Columbus Bonds	70@ 75
Savannah Bonds	87@ 93
Fulton Cou'y Bonds	90
City Checks, Atlanta	93@ 97
County Checks, Fulton	93@ 97
United States 5 20 Bonds	105@120
United States 7.30 Bonds	90@100
United States 10.40 Bonds	105@110
Atlanta National Bank Stock	105@118
Revenue Stamps	97@100
Land Warrants	70@ 80

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There is in Georgia, probably there is in America, no more successful planter than Mr. David Dickson, whose plantation of 15,000 acres is situated on the little Ogeechee river, about ten miles east of Sparta, in Hancock county.

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The aim of this planter has been to increase the productive capacity of the land, first, and second to increase the productive capacity of the laborer. The accomplishment of the first has been effected by means of fertilizers, which make the land richer, and improved tillage, which makes the natural and acquired fertility of the soil more available. The second has been affected by new modes of planting and new implements. Ordinarially, in this country, fifteen acres of cotton and corn are cultivated to each hand. Before the war Mr. Dickson cultivated thirty-three acres to the hand, and the slaves had no drivers. In this part of Georgia, an average crop of cotton is about one bale on four acres. To be sure he expends large sums every year for manures, but these repay him one hundred per cent. on their cost, and the cost of the labor required to produce a bale of cotton, is comparatively very small by his system of culture.

The ground is planted in cotton but once in four years. It is succeeded by corn, and the third year by grain. The fourth year the ground lies fallow. The manures used for cotton are one hundred pounds each of Peruvian guano, dissolved bones, salt and plaster—the whole costing at present prices about eleven dollars. The ground is ploughed, not scratched, as has been the case with all the other plantations, I have seen. The dirt is turned up to the depth of seven, eight or nine inches, and the whole surface is broken up, the dead furrows being upon the ridges. Elsewhere the space between the rows forms a "land." The furrows for cotton rows are opened about eight inches deep and four feet apart. The manure is deposited in the furrow and covered with the plow. The seed furrow is then opened above it, a great many more cotton plants being started than are permitted to remain. After they are finely started, spaces are cut in the row with a broad heavy hoe, leaving from one to three stalks to a hill. The plowing is done with what is called here a "sweep," a plough cutting twenty-two inches wide, formed the two narrow mold boards, very like our plow shares. This just scrapes the ground, cutting up all the weeds, but not going deep enough to wound the cotton roots or open the light soil. It is hoed and plowed often enough to keep the ground perfectly clean. The more rapid the growth of the cotton, less cultivation is required, for when the plants are tall, thick and bushy, they so shade the ground that weeds and grass can hardly live upon it. Three ploughings and two hoeings sufficed last year for a remarkable field of cotton raised last year by Dr. Dickson, which averaged two bales to the acre. Usually the hoe and plow are busy almost until cotton picking commences in September.

A Western farmer would smile at Mr. Dickson's corn fields. The rows are almost as wide as the streets in some old European towns. But it must be remembered that this is a very light soil and cannot bear many stalks, and by making the rows wide the sun reaches both sides of every plant. Mr. Dickson makes his rows for corn seven feet apart, with hills three feet apart in the rows, and then only one or two stalks to a hill. But all this space is not wasted, as a row of peas is planted between every two rows of corn, and these produce from five to fifteen bushels per acre, and are equal to the average production of corn on unmanured land.

Mr. Dickson's experience is of course valuable chiefly to the Southern planter.—A general adoption of his methods would be more than double the products of the country and the profits of the farmer.

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☞ A New York correspondent of the Chicago Republican takes the same view of the Imperialist that we have done. It is a simple newspaper novelty gotten up to make money and create a sensation. We quote as follows:

The story of this enterprise is one of the most disgraceful in the journalistic history of New York. Such enterprises are every few months or years set on foot by ambitious young press writers, deceived by the brilliance of their own talents and craving for the excitement of a little safe intrigue and adventure. One meets them in a society, vowing that a republican government is a failure, sighing for monarchical institutions, beholding themselves possibly Dukes of Alena or Counties Pooly. It would be their just punishment, Paris. It is what they sigh for so we consent to have a monarchy here would be wishfully. As it times more tyrannical not be a thousand worst republics ous and selfish than the

The st these longest would rule, and would like the delicate cigar-smoking darlings of *dilettante* journals, or the broad-shouldered capitalists who control elections now? These boys play with gunpowder and Greek fire when they talk about dictatorship. But this is taking a razor to cut a cheese. The concern is too contemptible to waste good language over, and those who give it consideration raise to unmerited esteem a sheet whose readers believe in its principles more than its originators; whose editors care for imperialism simply as an unpopular and audacious doctrine that will make the paper notorious and give it circulation—the most lawless, dishonorable plan that ever was hatched in ink and types.

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